

card, identity theft and burglary.

Theft Suspect Sought

Up to \$1,000 Reward Offered

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San Diego County Crime Stoppers

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San Diego Police Officer James Johnson (619) 531-1500

San Diego Sheriff's Deputy Adriana Uribe (619) 531-1547 San Diego County Crime Stoppers is joining forces with the San Diego Police Department Central Division detectives to help apprehend the suspect responsible for several thefts that occurred between May 10 and June 20, 2009 in the Gaslamp area.

Christopher Glasby (10-29-74) has been identified as the suspect in several purse and wallet thefts from Gaslamp area businesses. Glasby enters the restaurant or business and distracts the hostess or receptionist by asking for a job application or turning in a resume. As the employee leaves the front of the business, Glasby steals a wallet or purse from that area. Glasby then uses the victim's credit cards to purchase Visa gift cards and uses the gift cards until they no longer have any value. Employees of businesses in the Gaslamp and downtown San Diego areas should not leave their wallets or purses in areas which are easily accessible to the public.

A photo of Glasby can be found on page two of this news release.

Suspect description:

• Glasby is Indian, but may appear Hispanic, 34 years old, about 6' tall, 190 lbs. He always carries a backpack.

Detectives are asking anyone with information on the location of Glasby to call the Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-8477. Crime Stoppers is offering up to a \$1,000 reward to anyone with information that leads to Glasby's arrest. Anonymous email and text messages can be sent in via www.sdcrimestoppers.com.

Media inquiries should be directed to Mónica Muñoz at (619) 531-2675. Questions about Crime Stoppers should be directed to Officer Jim Johnson at (619) 531-1500 or Deputy Adriana Uribe at (619) 531-1547.

For information leading to an arrest, you could receive up to a \$1,000 reward and remain anonymous. The qualification of any person(s) for the reward and the amount of the reward for any person(s) so qualifying will be determined by San Diego County Crime Stoppers, Inc, in its sole discretion. The amount of all rewards given shall not exceed \$1,000. Information must be received on the tip line, (888) 580-8477.



Christopher Glasby